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SUBJ: CLOSING OF WARSAW OFFICE OF EPSTEIN & SONS, INC.

1. M. RACZKIEWICZ, DIRECTOR OF THE WARSAW OFFICE OF EPSTEIN & SONS, INC., HAS INFORMED US THAT, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 21, EPSTEIN WILL CLOSE ITS LOCAL OFFICE. THE HIGH COSTS OF MAINTAINING A PRESENCE IN POLAND AND THE FIRM'S FAILURE TO LAND NEW CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF FOOD-PROCESSING PLANTS LED TO THIS DECISION. THE THREE MEAT PROCESSING PLANTS CONSTRUCTED BY EPSTEIN WITH EXIM FINANCING ARE STILL IN THEIR GUARANTEE PERIOD, AND THE COMPANY WILL MAINTAIN A POLISH ENGINEER IN WARSAW TO HELP RESPOND TO ANY NEEDS IN THIS REGARD.
2. MR. RAYMOND EPSTEIN WILL CALL ON THE CHARGE OR THE ECONOMIC/ COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR ON FEBRUARY 21 AFTER CONCLUDING LEGAL FORMALITIES FOR CLOSING THE OFFICE. RACZKIEWICZ SAID THE COMPANY IS STILL INTERESTED IN BIDDING ON PROJECTS IN POLAND AND WOULD LIKE TO ASSIST U.S. MANUFACTURERS OF FOOD-PROCESSING EQUIPMENT IN EXPLOITING THE POLISH MARKET. ALTHOUGH HE EXPRESSED INTEREST IN CONTACTING SUCH FIRMS (77 WARSAW 8563), RACZKIEWICZ HAS RECEIVED NO RESPONSE.
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